

GRAND CLEARING SALE.

We are now closing out all Summer Goods at Cost and Regardless of Cost, to make room for a Large Fall Stock. Everything in the Line goes—Dress Goods, Underwear, Notions, Novelties, Etc. See our new Line of

HENDERSON'S SHOES FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

SAM SANGER.

BEN ETTLESON, Manager.

H. & T. C. Time Card, Bryan

Northbound No. 1.....12:18 p.m.
Southbound No. 2.....4:03 p.m.
Northbound No. 3.....2:07 a.m.
Southbound No. 4.....1:48 a.m.

H. & T. C. Time Table, Hearne

WEST BOUND.
No. 1 leaves.....1:05 a.m.
No. 3 leaves.....9:05 a.m.

EAST BOUND.

No. 2 leaves.....3:53 a.m.
No. 4 leaves.....4:29 p.m.

BETWEEN HEARNE AND SAN ANTONIO.

No. 9 leaves Hearne.....3:10 p.m.
No. 10 arrives at Hearne.....11:55 a.m.

H. & T. C. Time Table Hearne

NORTH BOUND.
No. 1 arrives.....12:50 p.m.
No. 3 arrives.....2:45 a.m.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. W. P. Trant is visiting in Franklin.

A. L. Ewing was here from Myers yesterday.

James Wilson of Macy, was in town yesterday.

Two up-stairs rooms for rent. Apply to Ira Gooch.

A. L. Nelson returned from Galveston yesterday.

Mrs. Anderson returned from Galveston yesterday.

New Columbus buggy for sale. Apply to J. S. Mooring.

McQueen residence for rent. Apply to Cliff A. Adams.

Miss Lottie Hearne returned from Navasota yesterday.

Dr. Paul M. Raynor returned from Chappel Hill yesterday.

Mrs. Jake Schwarz left yesterday for Waco to join her husband.

Frank Dunn and Mr. Edwards of near Leona, were here yesterday.

For Rent—The house adjoining my residence. Mrs. W. H. Webb.

Misses Williams of Wellborn, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Miss Johnnie Martin of Marlin, is visiting Miss Josephine Clark.

Lucian Reed and family were in from the Brazos bottom yesterday.

E. H. Nash, Jr., and Miss Alma Nash are here from Waco visiting relatives.

"Royal Blue" a strictly first class 5c cigar sold only by C. G. Parsons.

A. W. Dyess, D. P. Cole and C. H. B. Graham were here from Bethel yesterday.

Call and see those beautiful new bugles for sale so cheap at Parks' stable.

Mrs. Charles McLendon of Calvert, is here visiting her mother, after a visit to La Porte.

Mrs. John Pool returned to Galveston yesterday, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ford.

For Sale Cheap—A second hand hackboard and harness, good as new. Apply at this office.

Dr. T. H. Hairston will be at his office in Bryan Monday and Tuesday, August 15th and 16th.

I have new wagon scales at my stable and will do all kinds of public weighing at half price. Ira Gooch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roberts left yesterday for Houston where they will make their future home.

Miss Bertha McMillan returned to Marlin yesterday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. D. Robinson.

House For Rent—On west side town near Main Street, apply to Dr. H. T. Coulter at B. S. Read's drug store.

Bob Newsome was here from the Koppe plantation yesterday and said the ravages of the boll worms were terrible.

The city tax rolls have been completed. The total city property valuation is \$1,333,400, an increase over last year of \$95,012.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gibbs were here yesterday en route home to Edna, Jackson county, after a visit to the Madisonville reunion.

Read John M. Caldwell's ad giving notice of his removal sale this month. He will be located at Read's drugstore after August 1.

For pure fountain and bottle soda, Dr. Pepper, and all the latest food drinks, candies, fruits, nuts, etc., call on C. G. Parsons.

W. A. Dodson and family have returned from a pleasant visit to Georgia and Mr. Dodson reports good crops and prosperous times in the old state.

Buggies, surreys, hacks and closed carriages at Gooch's livery stable. He can supply your wants in the livery line promptly and at very low prices.

The Free Baptist revival at Brightlight, conducted under the tent by Rev. A. M. Stewart, is a pronounced success. There were seven accessions to the church up to Tuesday night.

The free singing school at Rock Prairie school house closes Friday with an all-day singing and dinner on the ground. Everybody invited. There are sixty pupils attending the school.

From today until all my feed is gone, I will sell for spot cash or no go, bran at 75 cents per 100 pounds, cotton seed meal at 80 cents per 100 pounds, new oats at 27 1/2 cents a bushel. D. Miko.

Two negro women had a difficulty on Main street yesterday morning and Marshal Boyett had considerable trouble in suppressing one of them. She wanted to talk worse than a real prize fighter.

Joe B. Reed's insurance companies have all adopted the policy of paying death claims arising from the war with Spain. For accident and life insurance either in lodges or straight life companies see Joe B. Reed.

The scores of interviews secured with the farmers throughout this section by our representative for The Eagle-Meteor special edition show conclusively that Bryan is the favorite trading point of the people for miles around in all directions.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Burger have returned from an extended summer trip to Philadelphia, Washington, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Canada. Mr. Burger says it is very hot in the north and he was anxious to get home where he knew we were beginning to have cool nights.

The Eagle has been requested to agitate the subject of a brass band. We mention it most cheerfully and would be glad to see another good band organized and maintained in Bryan. There is much pleasure and profit to be derived from the cultivation of music and public functions are never a success without a good band. There should be enough music lovers in Bryan of one mind to organize and maintain a band. Again we express the hope that it will be done.

Mendola-Altenburger.

Mr. L. B. Mendola of this city, and Miss Amelia A. Altenburger, were married Tuesday morning at 7:15 o'clock in St. Patrick's church in Galveston. The wedding was a pretty one despite the fact that a heavy rain was falling during the ceremony.

The bride's dress was white organdie over white satin trimmed with ribbons and orange blossoms, with wreath and veil. Miss Louise Mendola was maid of honor and Mr. Alex. Birkmeyer best man. Miss Mendola wore white organdie trimmed with ribbon. The wedding was solemnized at mass.

A reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Mendola Tuesday night, and they received many beautiful presents. They will return to Bryan Friday and make their home here. The Eagle extends congratulations.

ANNUAL OUTING

Of the Knights of Pythias at the Fish Tank.

The Knights of Pythias had a royal time at the fish pond yesterday where a magnificent barbecue dinner was served. A large delegation from the Navasota lodge were the guests of honor, and nothing was neglected that would add to their pleasure. Last night the visitors were entertained in a princely manner at the Academy of Music where luncheon was served and the evening was spent fully as pleasantly as the day.

The Bryan lodge is in a flourishing condition and growing constantly and the same may be said of the Navasota lodge. The fraternal relations between the members of the two lodges are exceedingly pleasant and the lodges vie with each other in entertaining. Just now the Navasotans are willing to admit the Bryanites are one on them, and say they never had a better time in their lives.

When the Knights returned from the fish pond late yesterday afternoon they drove up Main street headed by a string band playing "A Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," and "Dixie," while flags were waving and they were cheered from the sidewalks by onlookers.

Following is the list of visiting Knights: Capt. R. A. Horlock, R. W. Horlock, Judge Geo. D. Neal, Dr. J. H. Neal, Dr. A. H. Ketchum, John Leak, A. S. Blumenthal, G. W. Conoly, Abe Levine, M. L. Lindley, I. Goodman, R. Smith, W. J. Terrell, W. Bissett, Ben W. Pearce, I. Bock, George Smith, N. V. Deaderick, W. N. Norwood, W. Backloup, Steele Steele, A. G. Steele, John D. Fleweller, J. Hageman, A. Noack, V. Cuthell, Jas. H. Lee, W. T. Wilson, J. Bednar, of Navasota; A. J. Edwards, J. LeFebure, Wm. Jericho of Millican. The visitors returned home last night.

Cotton in Madison County.

One hears a great deal the boll worms destroying crops these days, and desiring to know what the actual conditions were we interviewed many people on the subject and herewith give them as they were told us:

N. A. Massey living six miles north of town said worms were working in his cotton, but not in sufficient numbers to materially injure the crop. He says that he has a half bale of cotton assured from his oldest cotton.

W. I. Floyd living six miles east of town says cotton is as fine as he ever saw grow on up land; some boll worms a few weeks ago but none now. Have one-half bale made per acre now. Will make more than we can gather.

J. G. Heath of Neal says he knows of no boll worms in his section to amount to anything; and that the crops looks well.

Ed. B. Levy, of near Leona says that the cotton crops up there is away ahead of any crop they have had in his section for years.

Many others gave like interviews, but some were found who said they were being badly hurt by the worms, it is hard to get the exact condition of affairs, but one could learn enough to convince him that the county would make more cotton than can be gathered. —Madisonville Meteor.

Exchange Hotel Arrivals.

Dr. Bacon Saunders, Ft. Worth; G. A. McGregor, St. Louis; Sol Bellita, Cincinnati; A. H. Sneed, Memphis; Frank Callbeck, St. Louis; W. D. Herring, Waco; A. Ritter, Philadelphia; S. M. Boone, Dallas; W. A. Wilson, Nacogdoches; J. M. Morgan, Philadelphia; Homer Lamkin, Caldwell.

Property Bargains.

If you need a home or have money to invest you cannot afford to miss this opportunity. It will pay bargain-hunters to see me; I offer the following property very cheap:

5 houses on lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, block 124, being the half block west of G. S. Parker's gin.
1 house on lots 6 and 7, block 165.
1 house on lots 4, 2, + 3, block 149; (my home).
2 lots in block 127—lots 6, 7.
2 lots in block 148—lots 9, 10.
Part of block No. 60, Hill's addition, 55 acres of land 2 miles from Bryan; good improvements.
213-40 J. Q. TASON.

MORE LOSS OF LIFE IN ALASKA.

Eighteen Persons Are Reported to Have Gone Down on the Jessie in Alaskan Waters.

Seattle, Aug. 16.—Further details state that there were 18 persons on the river steamer Jessie of the Columbian Exploration company, which foundered in the Kuskokwim river, Alaska, during a severe storm July 28. It is thought all were lost. The steamer Jessie, at the time of the disaster, had in tow the large Minerva loaded with supplies.

The news of the disaster was brought to the headquarters of the Alaska Commercial company by Indians who had a joint loaded barge belonging to the party partly wrecked. The Indians assert that the steamer foundered, and that all of her party perished in the storm that swept down upon them before they were well into the river, and only a few hours after they had left the steamer Lakme, on which they had gone north. The Indians confiscated the supplies.

The expedition was composed of a number of well to do young men of Kentucky and Tennessee families who joined the others in Seattle. They were furnished with the steamer Jessie and the large Minerva by Richard Chilcoat of this city. There were no marine men in the party.

The Jessie was a strongly built stern wheel boat 50 feet long and 14 1/4 beam. She had powerful engines. She had a low deck house with a small pilot house on top. The large was an open affair to be used in carrying supplies.

The month of the Kuskokwim, like that of many other Alaskan rivers, is very wide and gets exceedingly rough. A storm came up before the Jessie and tow reached a safe anchorage. A few days later the Indians found the large party wrecked on the north shore of the river. A few days later they found a hastily constructed raft. Nothing was seen or heard of steamer or passengers. All are believed to have been lost.

Captain Chilcoat, who outfitted the party and built the boat has not yet given up hopes. He believed the passengers will yet turn up as the boat was built especially strong to go against the river currents.

Two More Prizes.

Key West, Aug. 16.—Two Norwegian steamers have been added to the United States' large collection of war prizes. They are the Aladdin, captured by the auxiliary gunboat Hawk off Cadiz light, Isle of Pines, on Saturday last, and the Bergen, taken by the auxiliary gunboat Viking, off Francis key, Sunday. The Aladdin cleared from Tampico, Mexico, for Santiago and La Grande, with a cargo of sugar. The Bergen was ostensibly bound from Santiago for the same port for the purpose, it is said, of taking off refugees. Both steamers were seized without difficulty and were brought here by prize crews.

Officers' Resignations Accepted.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The president has accepted the resignations of Colonel Charles F. Woodard, Lieutenant Colonel George E. Chaffin, Major George H. Taylor and Captain U. A. Gooddell, all of the Sixth Massachusetts regiment, now on duty in Porto Rico. They have been discharged from further service. No explanation concerning the matter is given at the war department, but the press dispatches spoke of trouble in the regiment.

Postmasters Appointed.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The president has named to following postmasters: Oklahoma—Shawnee, F. P. Stearns. Texas—Brownsville, Adolph Ashlem; San Marcos, Owen Form; Seguin, Carrie R. Vanghan; Yoakum, John M. Clark.

Receiver for the Browns.

St. Louis, Aug. 16.—Judge Wood has appointed President B. S. Mucklenfuss receiver for the St. Louis baseball club on the application of the holders of first mortgage bonds. His bond is fixed at \$2000.

Queen Regent Signs the Decree.

Madrid, Aug. 16.—The queen regent has signed a decree arranging for the payment of the external indebtedness and authorizing the conversion of the debt and providing for an increase in the note issue of the Bank of Spain.

Street Railway Sued For Damages.

Galveston, Aug. 16.—George A. Parr and Angie E. Parr, his wife, have entered suit against B. B. Baer, receiver of the Galveston City Street railway, for \$10,300 damages for the death of their 14-year-old son, Henry Samuel Parr.

Got His Leg Broken.

Van Horn, Tex., Aug. 16.—J. W. Mershon accidentally got his leg broken here while riding on a handcar by his foot striking a rock on the track, bending his leg under the car and breaking it between the knee and ankle.

To Muster Out Troops.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The mustering out of all the soldiers under the third call will begin within the next 30 days. Seventy thousand men will be sent to their homes. The practice adopted for the civil war will be followed.

Man Killed by a Sheriff.

Seguin, Tex., Aug. 16.—Sheriff Soldmann was forced to kill a Mexican here while resisting arrest. From all accounts of the killing the sheriff was forced to take his life in self-defense.

Private Walters Dead.

Houston, Aug. 16.—Private Walters of company A, Fourth regiment, Texas volunteers, died at the hospital tent.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce

JESSE G. MINKERT
as a candidate for County Attorney of Brazos county at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce

A. W. BUCHANAN,
as a candidate for County Treasurer of Brazos county at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce

J. T. CLOSS
as a candidate for re-election to the office of justice of the peace, Precinct No. 4, Brazos county, at the ensuing November election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Prospects Good for a Free Bridge at Bundick Crossing On the Navasota.

Following are some important proceedings of the commissioners court:

Quarterly reports from a majority of the county and precinct officers have been received and approved by the court.

The sheriff's account for feeding prisoners for the past quarter was audited and paid.

A committee of business men composed of W. E. Saunders, J. N. Cole and G. S. Parker appeared before the court and asked the court to act in conjunction with the Madison county commissioners court in the purchase of the Bundick bridge across the Navasota river and make it a free bridge. Accordingly a committee from this court will meet a like committee from the Madison county court at the Bundick bridge next Wednesday, August 17, for the purpose of ascertaining the condition and value of the bridge.

The bridge and slough bridge on the other side with the franchise is held at \$400. Madison county proposes to pay \$250 of this \$400 and keep up the slough bridge if Brazos will pay \$150 and put the main bridge in good repair. The probability is that the purchase will be made.

A contract has been let to A. J. Tabor, J. C. Griffin and Sam Lee for the sum of \$25 for the building of a 40 foot bridge across Wolfpen branch on the Bryan and Millican road. The contractors do all the work and supply all material except the pine lumber.

The court is now on the claim docket and expects to adjourn this evening until next Wednesday.

Under Water to the roof.

An engineer of Baltimore, Md., makes the claim that a submarine boat can be propelled under the great fields of ice that have thus far stopped northern navigators from reaching the north pole. This gentleman, Albert Riedel, proposes to build a boat for the journey at once and to start from somewhere in upper Canada.

Those who believe in Mr. Riedel's plan claim that the boat will have to travel under 600 miles of ice before an open sea around the north pole is reached. They believe that enough open places will be found on the journey to enable the boat to go to the surface to replenish the air. It is proposed to run the boat by electricity provided by storage batteries.

Kind Hearted Abe Lincoln.

"Once when I was a girl at school," said Kate Roby, "Schoolmaster Crawford had given out the word 'delfed,' which had been misspelled several times when it came my turn. Abe Lincoln stood on the opposite side of the room and was watching me. I began 'd-e-f' and then I stopped, hesitating whether to proceed with an 'l' or a 'y.' Looking up, I saw Abe, a grin on his face, pointing with one forefinger to his eye. I took the hint, spelled the word with an 'l,' and it went through all right."

A space in a paper of recognized standing, filled week after week, is, in the experience of successful advertisers and business men, the best of all known means of reaching prospective buyers.

The goods that are not advertised may be as good as those that are, but nobody knows it.

A great deal of advertising fails because the advertiser becomes discouraged before he has a right to expect returns.

Sir Henry Irving's Income.

Sir Henry Irving's income has for the past ten years exceeded £15,000 per annum. At one time, as he proudly confesses, he was continually solving the problem of how to live on £1 a week.

Grain From Ant's Nests.

In times of scarcity the South African natives sometimes rob ants' nests of the termites, and as much as five bushels of grain have been taken from a single nest.

NOTICE.

JOHN M. CALDWELL
will occupy a portion of the North Side of Dr. Read's Drug Store on and after

AUGUST 1st,
with elegant new Fixtures and an up-to-date Stock of Jewelry, etc. During July he will inaugurate a **REMOVAL SALE** of which Buyers will do well to take advantage.

About Perfumery and Toilet Waters Especially,

It pays to be careful. The name of the odor alone proves nothing. Note the standing of the firm from which you buy. Perfumes are a hobby of ours and when you get them of us you know they are right. We have Palmer's, Wright's, Crown and others, and are especially the odors we excel in. Either in original sealed bottles with all their fragrance preserved, or in bulk as you please. Prescriptions a specialty.

B. S. READ,
Druggist.

—BUY YOUR—

Bread, Cakes Rolls, Etc.,

—FROM THE—

HOME BAKERY.

Full weight loaves of the Best quality, Always fresh, and Fair treatment is what I guarantee

OTTO BOEHME. Phone 30

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